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## MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

## AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

The Applicants file this Amendment in response to the Office Action mailed July 6, 2006. The shortened statutory period for response is presently set to expire on October 6, 2006. Please reconsider the claims of the present application in light of the following argument.